NEVADA ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION

HEARING ARCHIVE

FOR THE HEARING OF June 3, 1997

HELD AT: Las Vegas, Nevada

TYPE OF HEARING:

REGULATORY

YES APPEAL

FIELD TRIP

ENFORCEMENT

VARIANCE

RECORDS CONTAINED IN THIS FILE INCLUDE:

YES AGENDA

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AGENDA

NEVADA STATE ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION PUBLIC HEARING

As provided by Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS) Chapter 233B and Nevada Administrative Code (NAC), inclusive, a panel of the Nevada State Environmental Commission will conduct an appeal hearing on **Tuesday**, **June 3**, **1997 beginning at 9:30 a.m.**, at the Grant Sawyer State Office Building, Fourth Floor, Nevada Division of Environmental Protection Conference Room located at 4300, 555 East Washington Avenue, Las Vegas, Nevada.

This agenda has been posted at the Grant Sawyer State Office Building in Las Vegas, the Washoe County Library in Reno, the Nevada State Library, and the Division of Environmental Protection Offices in Carson City, Nevada.

The following items will be discussed and acted upon but may be taken in different order to accommodate the interest and time of the persons attending.

I. Appeal Hearing - * ACTION

Alestel Corporation, dba Mesquite Sand & Gravel, Dennis A. Solis, President, P.O. Box 3000-202, Pahrump, Nevada 89041 appeals the Air Quality Notice of Alleged Violations No. 1228 and 1229 dated March 25, 1997 by the Nevada Division of Environmental Protection.

The Division of Environmental Protection, Bureau of Air Quality issued a Notice of Alleged Violation No. 1228 for a minor violation on March 25, 1997 pursuant to Nevada Administrative Code (NAC) 445B.365 for fugitive dust and Notice No. 1229 for a major violation of NAC 445B.227, operation without required equipment. The Division alleges that Mesquite Sand and Gravel, on March 12, 1997, failed to prevent the discharge of fugitive dust from the screening plant. In addition the State alleges that the appellant failed to operate the screen plant with functioning water sprays which were required by Air Quality Operating Permit No. AB1442-0114, requirement A.1.

II. General Commission or Public Comment

Members of the public who are disabled and require special accommodations or assistance at the meeting are requested to notify, in writing, the Nevada State Environmental Commission, in care of David Cowperthwaite, Executive Secretary, 333 West Nye Lane, Room 138, Carson City, Nevada, 89706-0851; by facsimile to (775) 687-5856; or by calling (775) 687-4670 extension 3117 no later than 5:00 p.m., May 28, 1997.

NEVADA STATE ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION NOTICE OF APPEAL HEARING

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The appellant believes that an unforeseen malfunction occurred at the screen plant and that operations were immediately ceased at the site located in Pahrump, Nevada.

The hearing will be held:

Tuesday – June 3, 1997 9:30 a.m. Suite 4300 Grant Sawyer Office Building 555 East Washington Avenue

Las Vegas, Nevada

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This notice is issued pursuant to Nevada Revised Statutes (NRS) Chapter 233B. The hearing will be held in accordance with Nevada Administrative Code, (NAC) 445B.875 to 445B.897, inclusive.

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